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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371				003300-912	
				U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 C.F.R. 1.5) Unassigned 10/070366	
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/SE00/01733		INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 7 September 2000		PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 7 September 1999	
TITLE OF INVENTION DETONATOR					
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US JAN HANS VESTRE					

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:
Claims 1 to 24 that were submitted on October 5, 2001 during the international phase of prosecution are canceled in the Preliminary Amendment filed herewith. It is contemplated that this Application be prosecuted while using new Claims 25 to 48 that are presented in the Preliminary Amendment filed herewith.

- ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- ☐ The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
- ☒ A copy of the international Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - ☒ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- ☐ An English language translation of the international Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - ☐ is attached hereto.
 - ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- ☒ Amendments to the claims of the international Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - ☒ have not been made and will not be made.
- ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). (Signed Declaration will follow)
- ☐ An English language translation of the annexes to the international Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- ☒ A FIRST preliminary amendment.
- ☐ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- ☐ A substitute specification.
- ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.
- ☐ A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- ☒ Other items or information:

A certified copy of Swedish Application No. 9903158-5, filed 7 September 1999, was submitted during the international phase of examination. Thus, the claim for priority has been perfected.



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21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:				CALCULATIONS	
Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)): Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO \$1,040.00 (960) International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO \$890.00 (970) International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO \$740.00 (958) International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$710.00 (956) International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.492) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) \$100.00 (962)				PTO USE ONLY	
ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =				\$ 1,040.00	
Surcharge of \$130.00 (154) for furnishing the oath or declaration later than 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 <input type="checkbox"/> months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)).				\$ ---	
Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate		
Total Claims	24 - 20 =	4	X \$18.00 (966)	\$	72.00
Independent Claims	1 - 3 =	0	X \$84.00 (964)	\$	---
Multiple dependent claim(s) (if applicable)			+ \$280.00 (968)	\$	---
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =				\$ 1,112.00	
Reduction for 1/2 for filing by small entity, if applicable (see below).				+ \$ ---	
SUBTOTAL =				\$ 1,112.00	
Processing fee of \$130.00 (156) for furnishing the English translation later than 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30 <input type="checkbox"/> months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)).				+ \$ ---	
TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =				\$ 1,112.00	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 (581) per property				+ \$ ---	
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =				\$ 1,112.00	
				Amount to be refunded: \$	
				charged: \$	
a. <input type="checkbox"/> Small entity status is hereby claimed. b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <u>1,112.00</u> to cover the above fees is enclosed. c. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>02-4800</u> in the amount of \$ <u> </u> to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <u>02-4800</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.					
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